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Applicant: Frank Schoner et al

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the office action dated May 22, 2001, please
amend the above identified application as follows:

In the description:

Insert after the title the following:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

A This application is a continuation-in-part of applicants'
copending US Patent Application Serial Number 09/154,556, ^{filed 9-16-98,} now
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